

Assembly Concurrent Resolution

No. 116

Introduced by Assembly Member Bill Campbell

September 6, 2001

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 116—Relative to honoring the family.

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ACR 116, as introduced, B. Campbell. California Family Month. This measure would recognize November 2001 as California Family Month.

Fiscal committee: no.

- 1 WHEREAS, The family unit plays a key role in establishing a
2 foundation of values and morality in individuals, and,
3 consequently, in developing responsible citizens; and
4 WHEREAS, It is within the family that individuals, as family
5 members, learn right from wrong, and learn how to be kind to
6 others and how to love one another; and
7 WHEREAS, The family is our most important social
8 institution; and
9 WHEREAS, Today's society is at risk of abandoning the
10 heritage that was passed on to us by our parents, resulting in the
11 breakdown of the family and in cultural decline; and
12 WHEREAS, It is becoming increasingly difficult for families to
13 impart standards of ethical behavior to their children and to pass
14 on a cultural heritage for the benefit of humanity; and

1 WHEREAS, The President of the United States of America and
2 the United States Congress have traditionally declared a week in
3 November as National Family Week; now, therefore, be it
4 *Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate*
5 *thereof concurring*, That mothers, fathers, husbands, wives, and
6 children be encouraged to join together as a family to protect and
7 nurture each other to ensure the tremendous blessings that are a
8 result of having a family; and be it further
9 *Resolved*, That the Legislature commends the mothers, fathers,
10 sons, and daughters that have shown the discipline necessary to
11 preserve a code of moral and ethical behavior by maintaining
12 strong families; and be it further
13 *Resolved*, That the Legislature directs the attention of the public
14 to the positive contributions to the people of California by the
15 family unit; and be it further
16 *Resolved*, That the Legislature recognizes the month of
17 November 2001 as California Family Month; and be it further
18 *Resolved*, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies
19 of this resolution to the author for appropriate distribution.

